

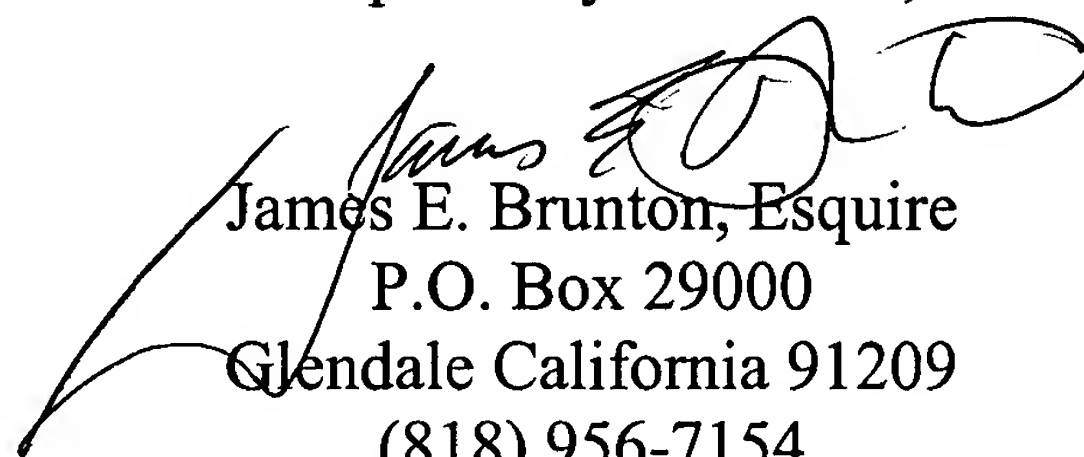
REMARKS

Formalization of the drawings as originally filed and the enlargement and rearrangement of certain of the figure drawings necessitated the amendments to the specification made by this Preliminary Amendment.

Additionally, review of the formal drawings as earlier filed showed certain discrepancies that have been corrected by this Amendment. As indicated, for each sheet of drawings amended is a "Replacement Sheet" and an "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" sheet showing the changes made to the formal drawings.

The Application as amended is now believed to be in condition for allowance and such favorable action is respectfully requested.

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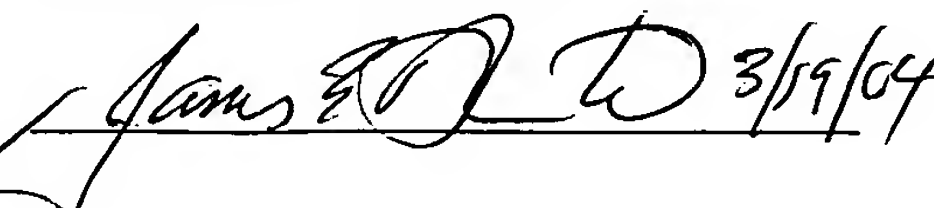
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ANNOTATED MARKED-UP DRAWINGS

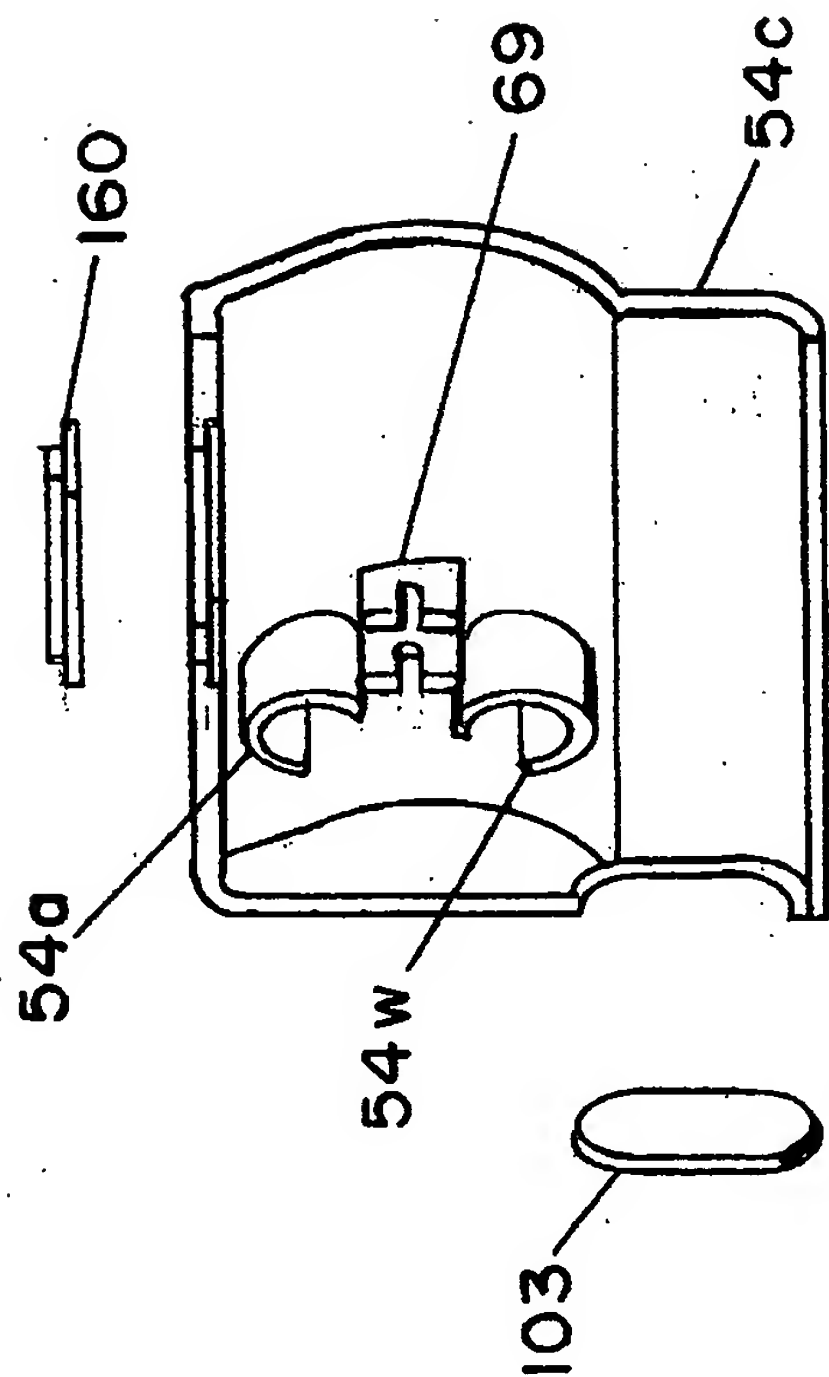


FIG. 14A

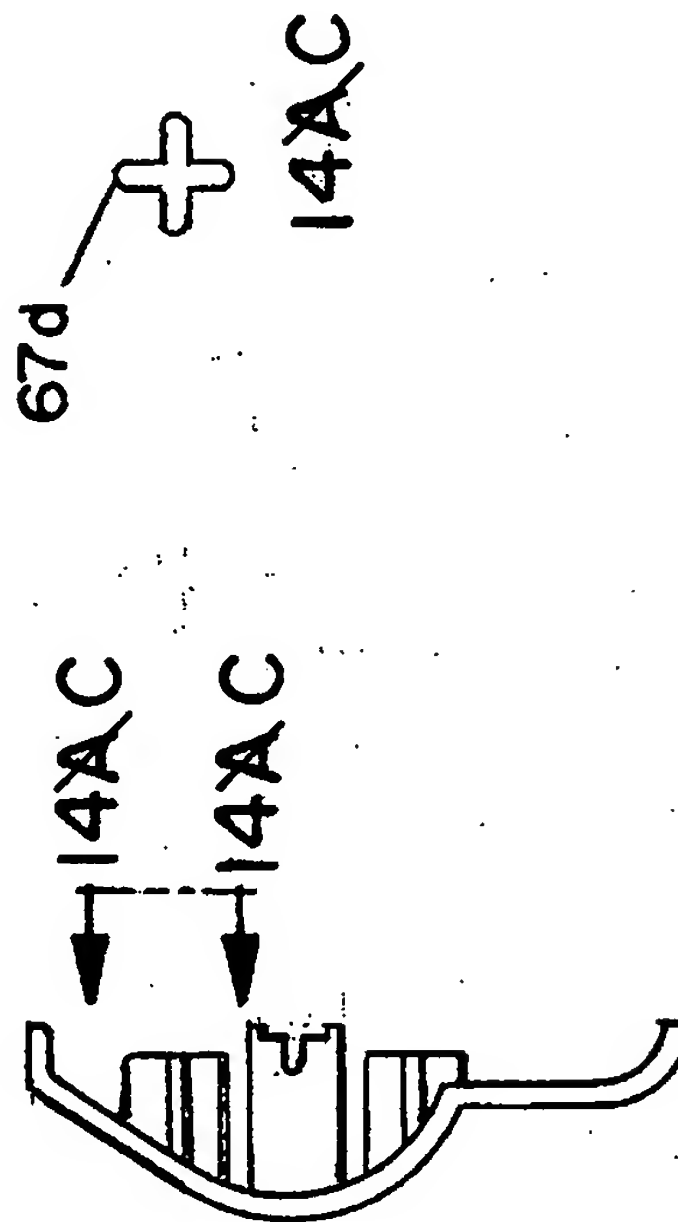
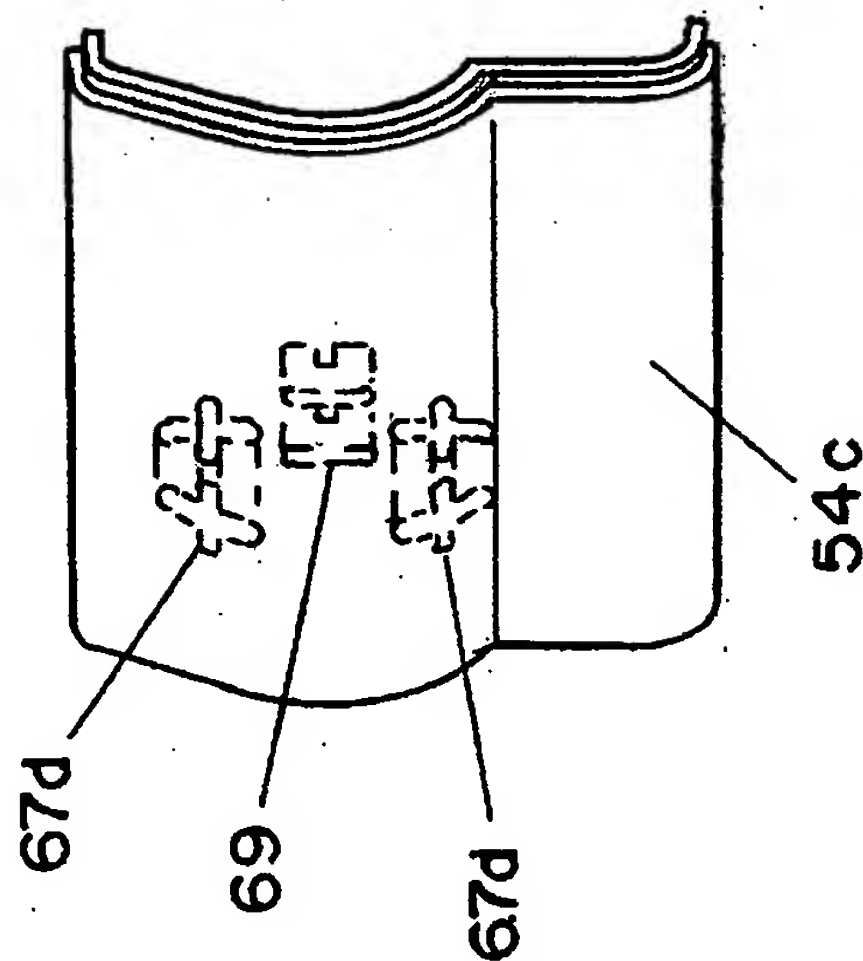
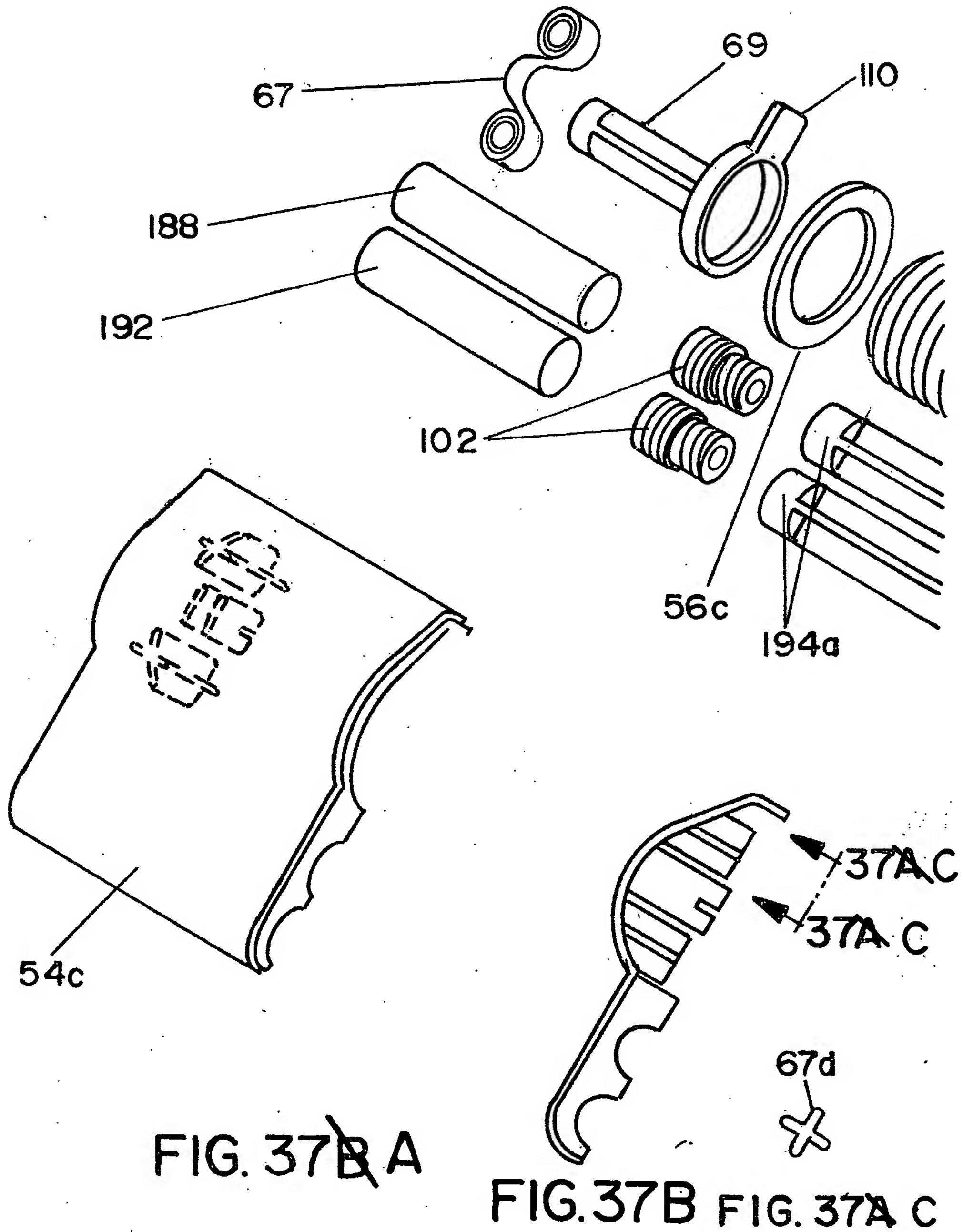


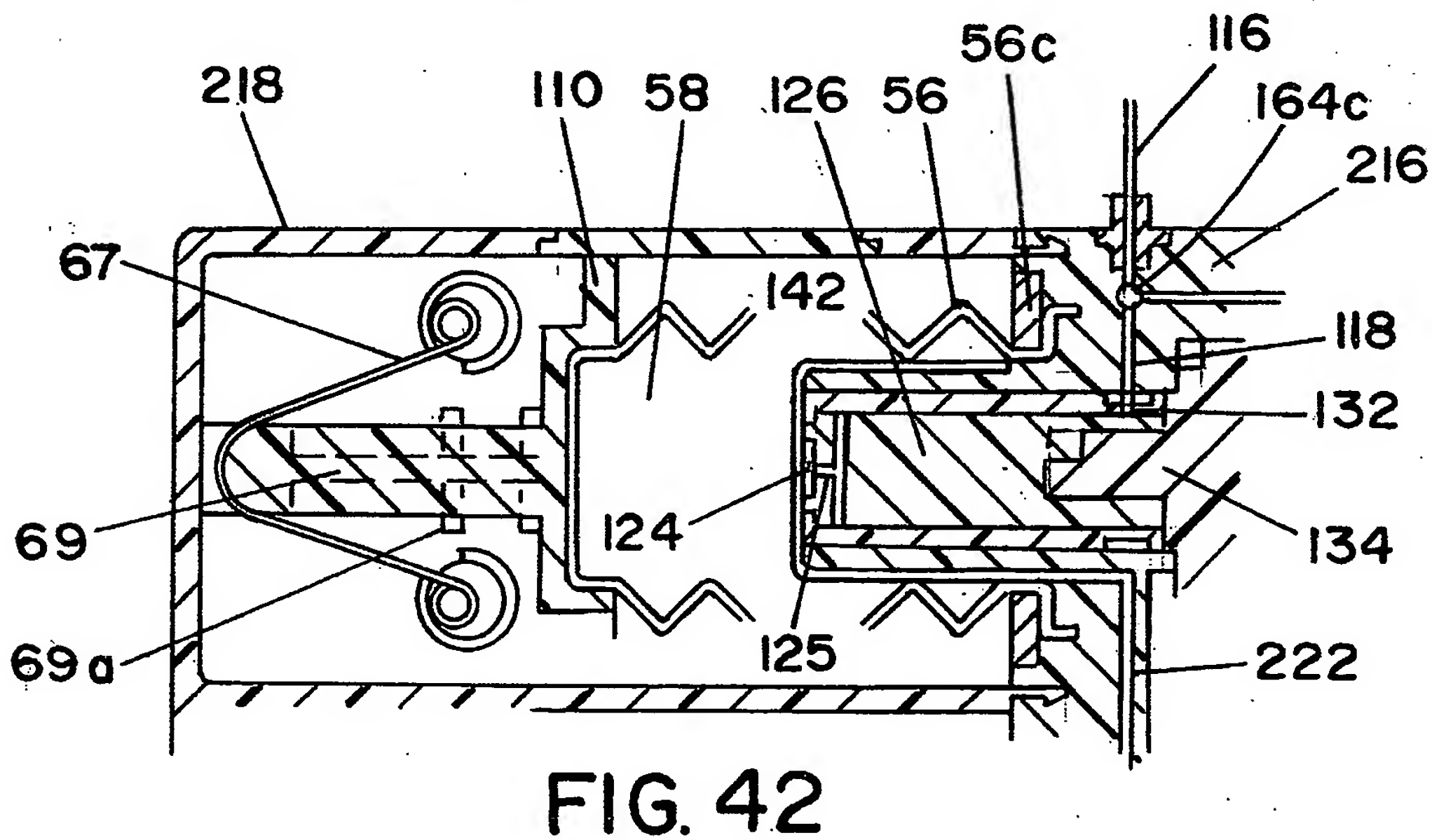
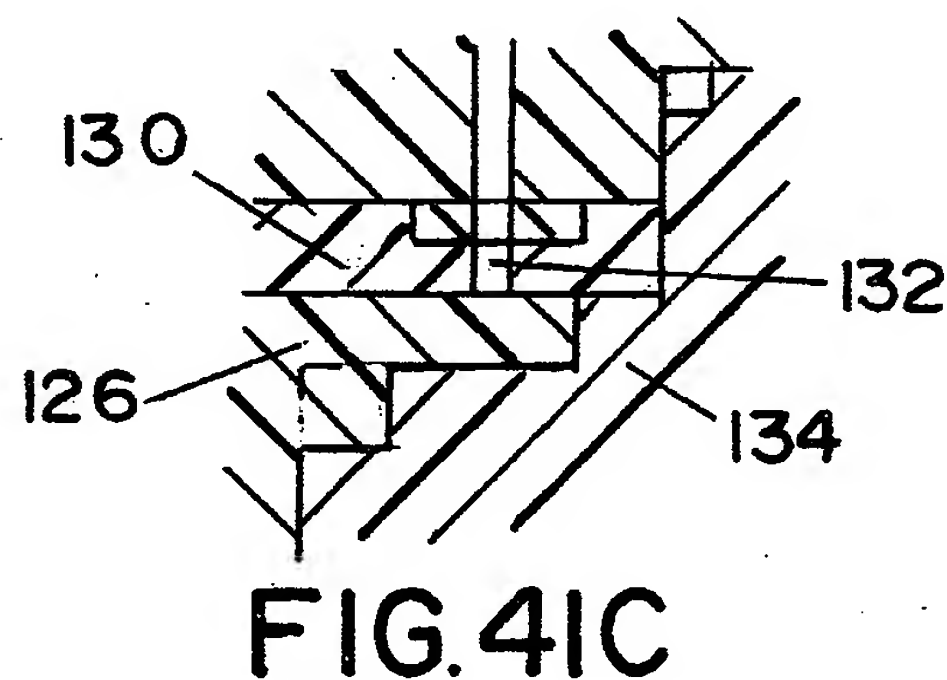
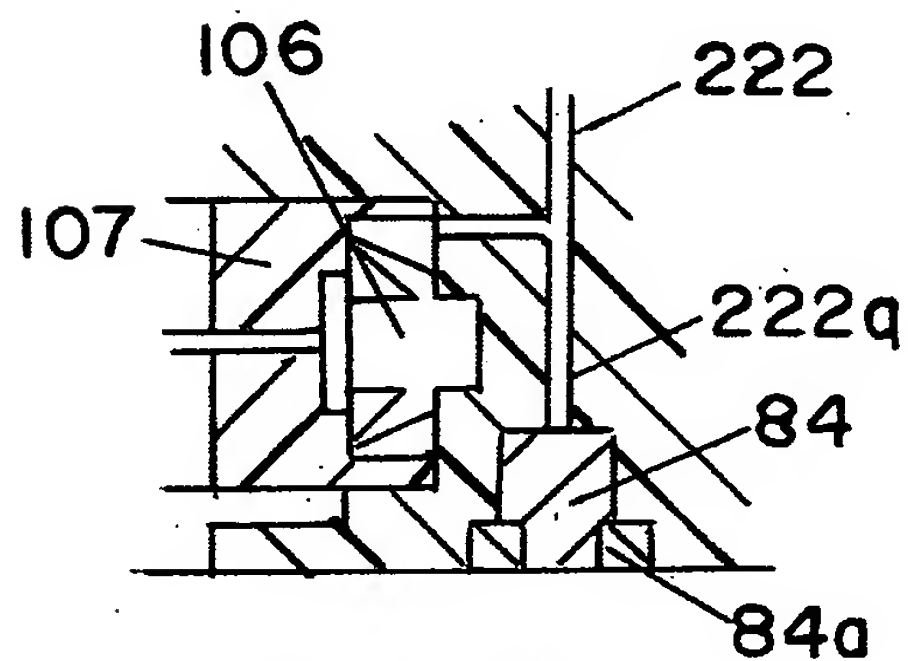
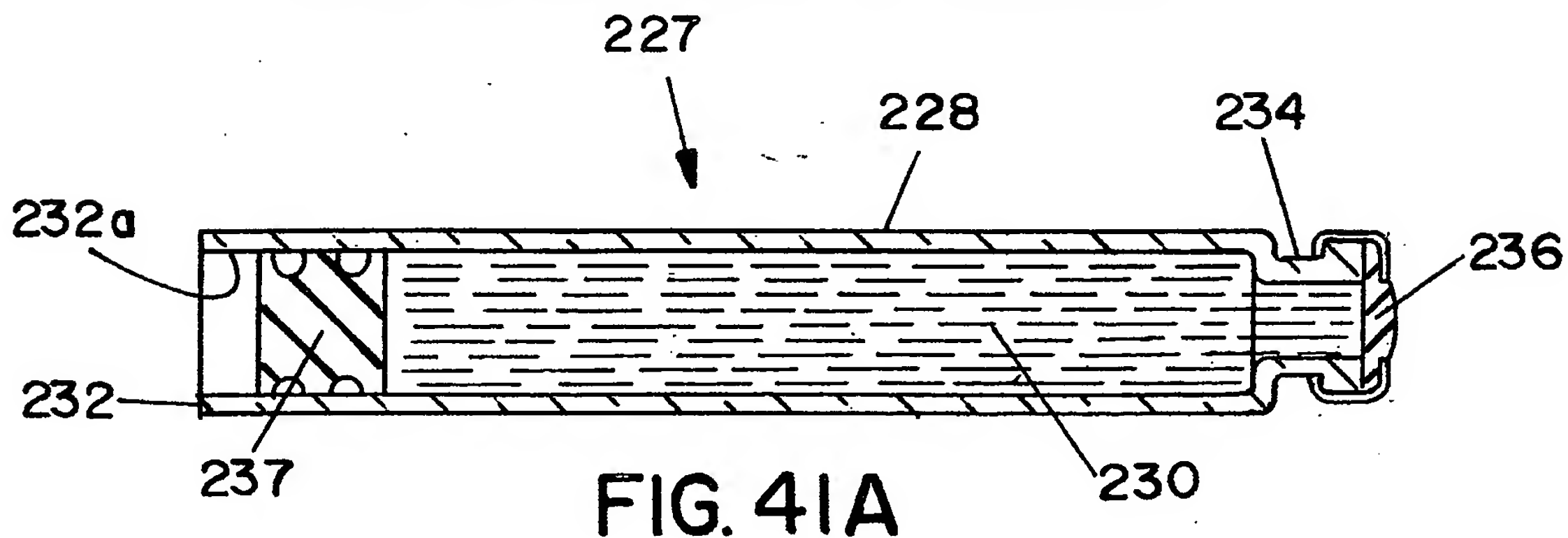
FIG. 14B



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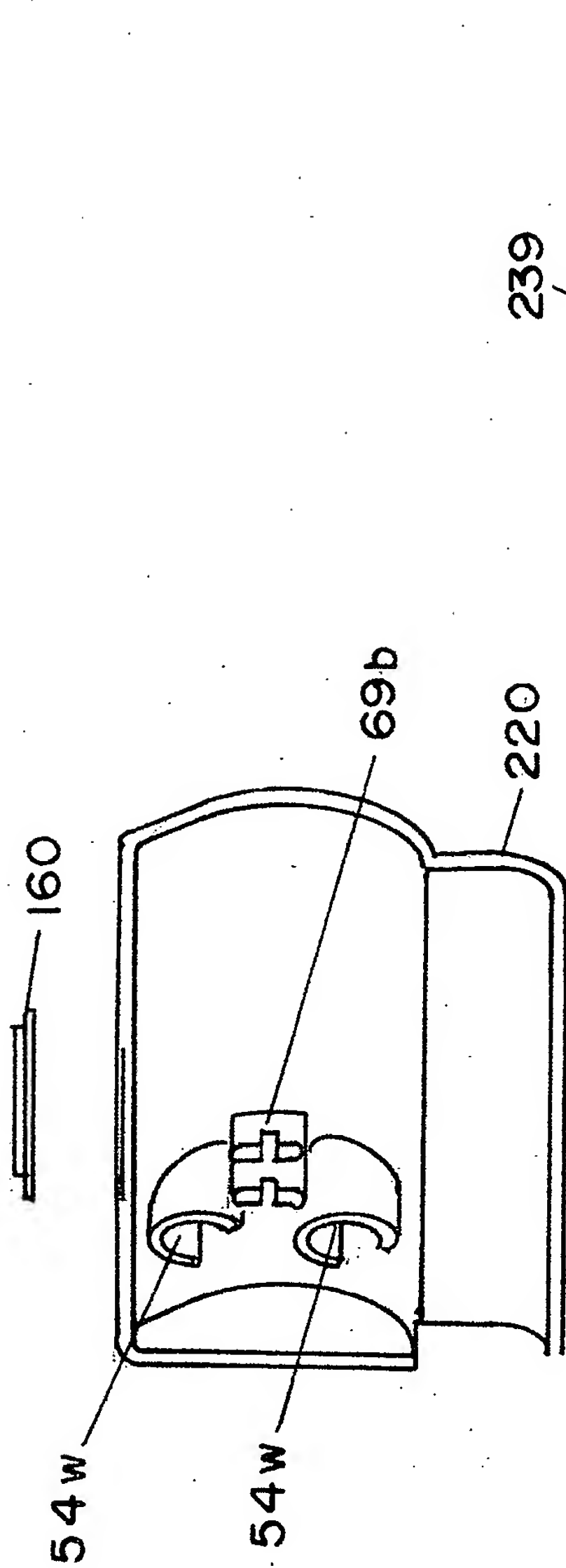


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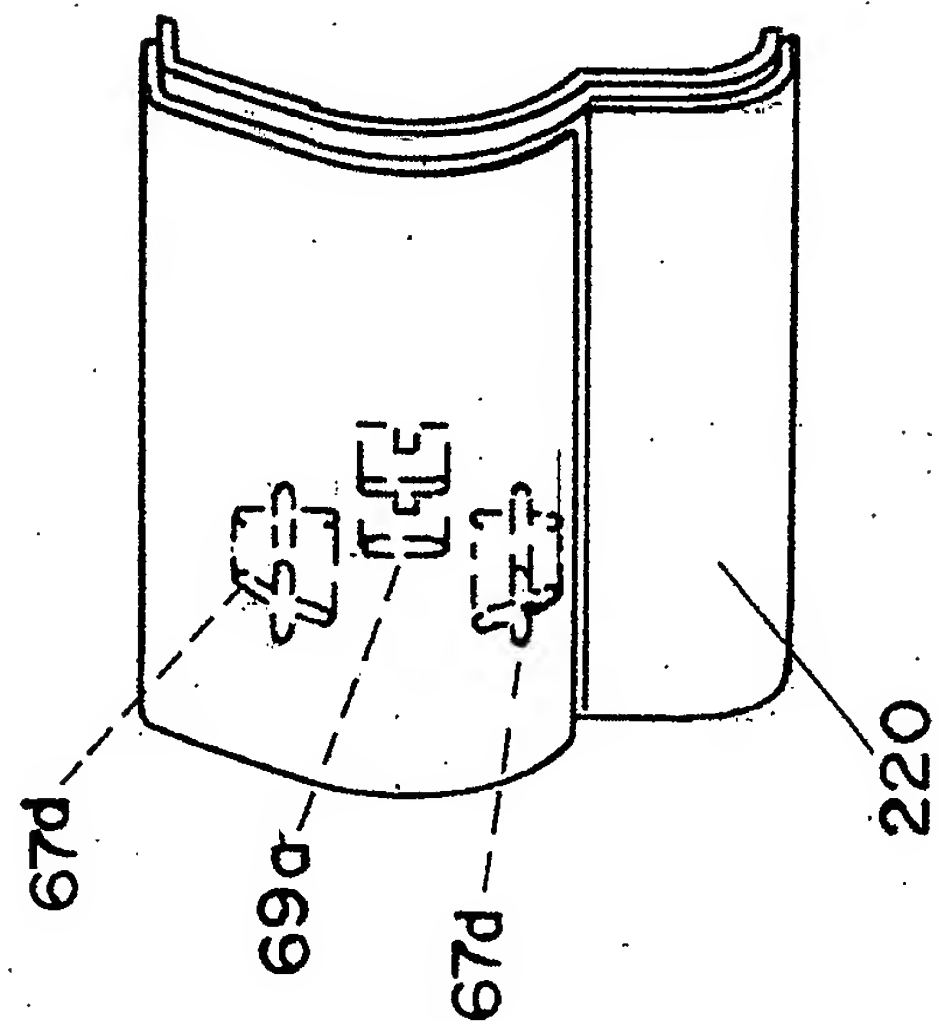
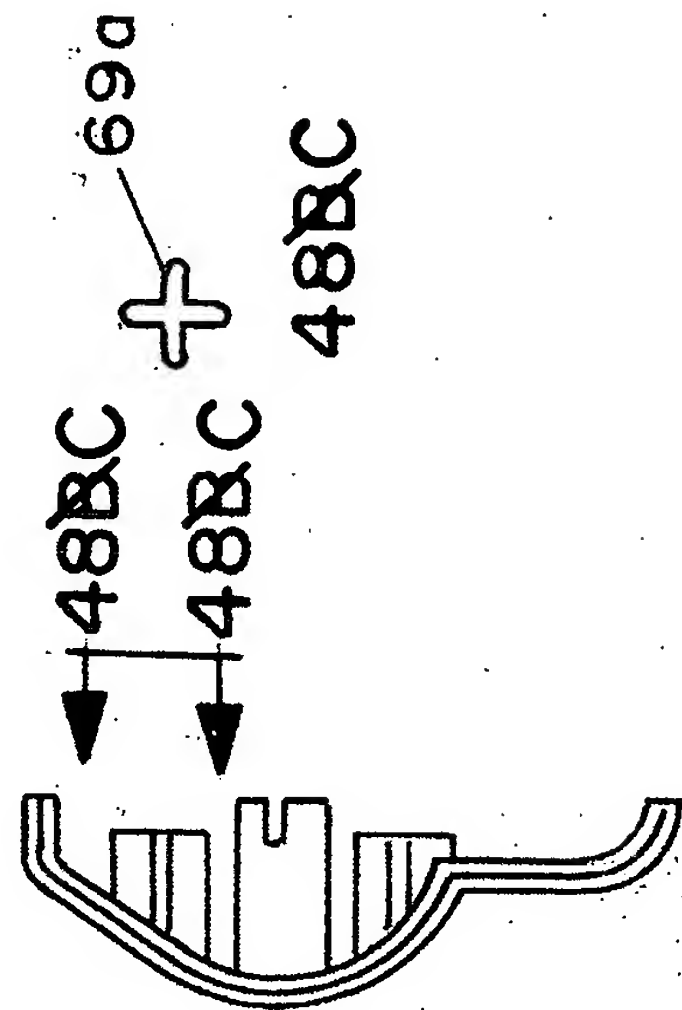
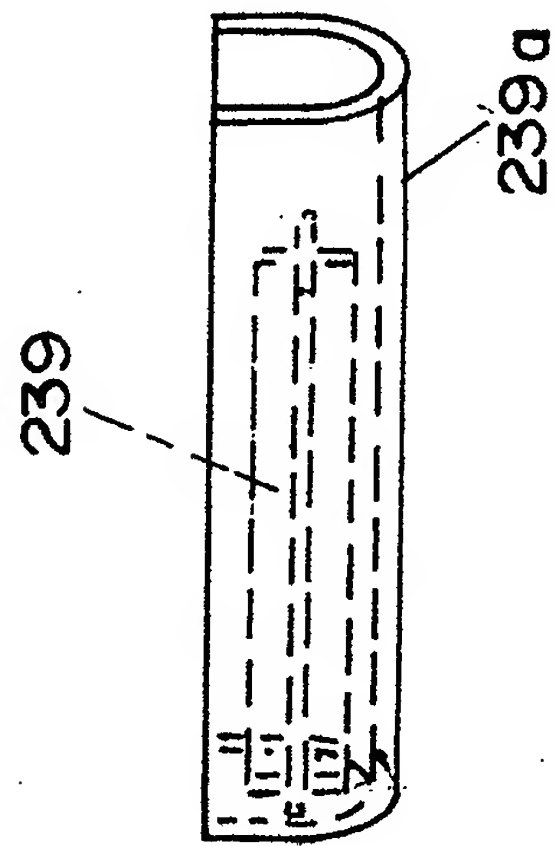
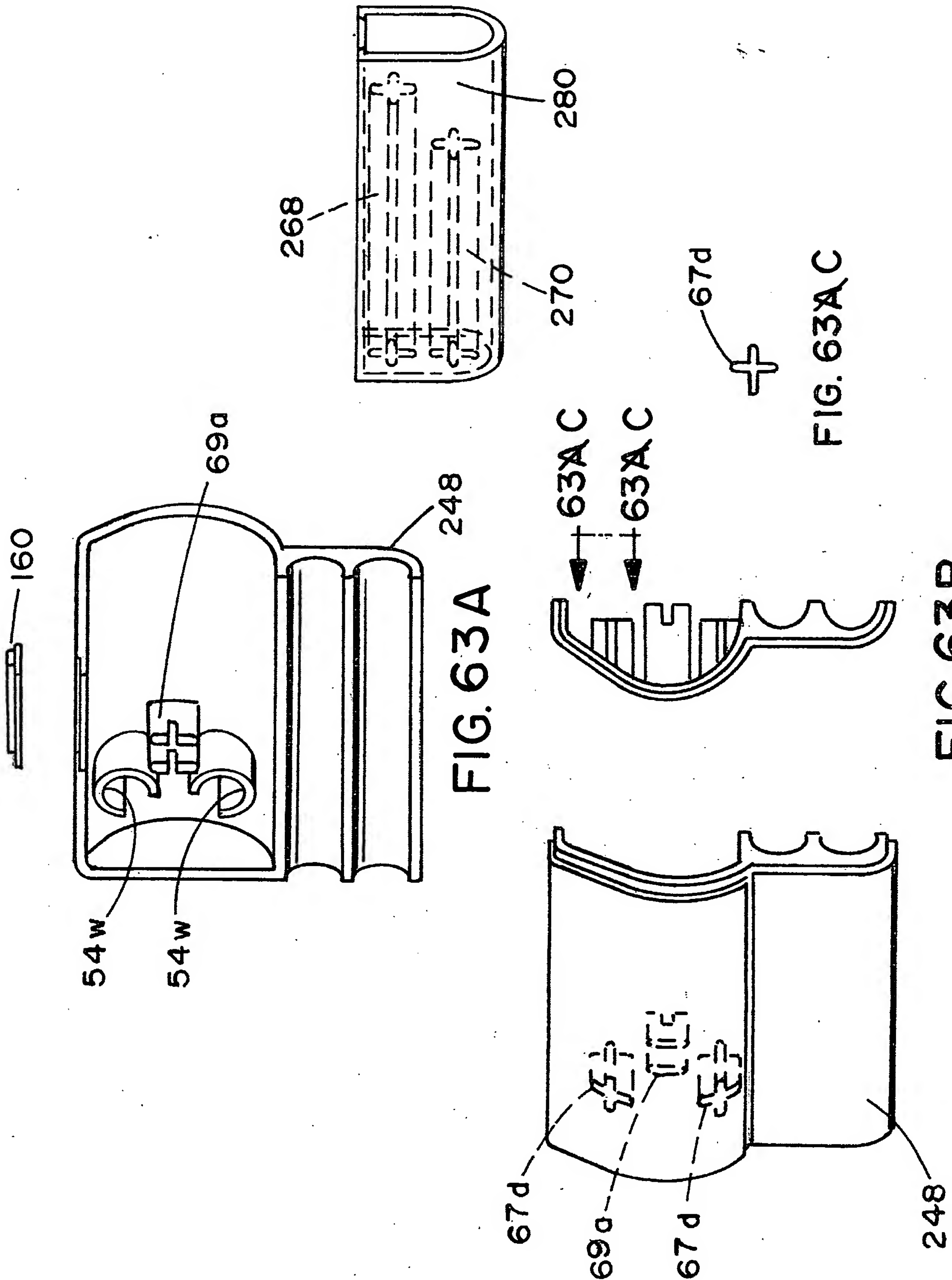


FIG. 48AB



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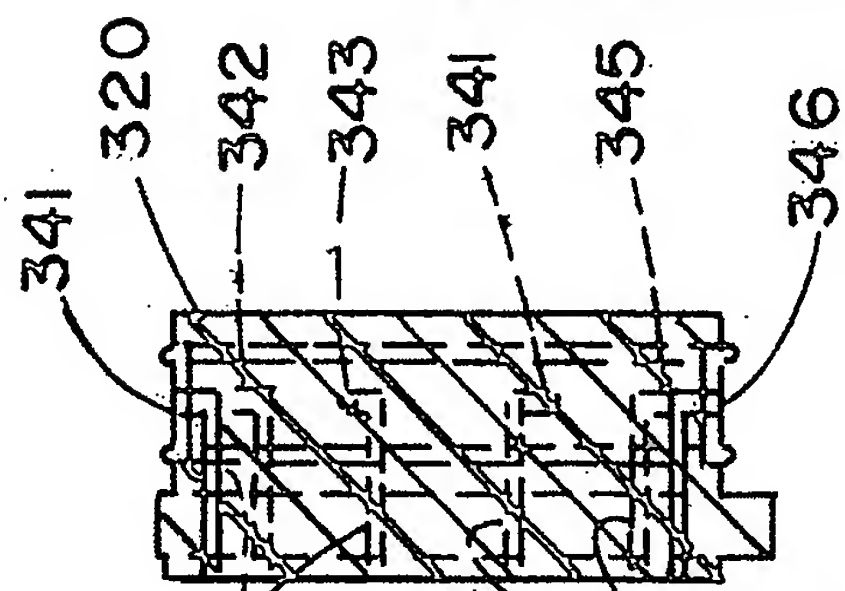


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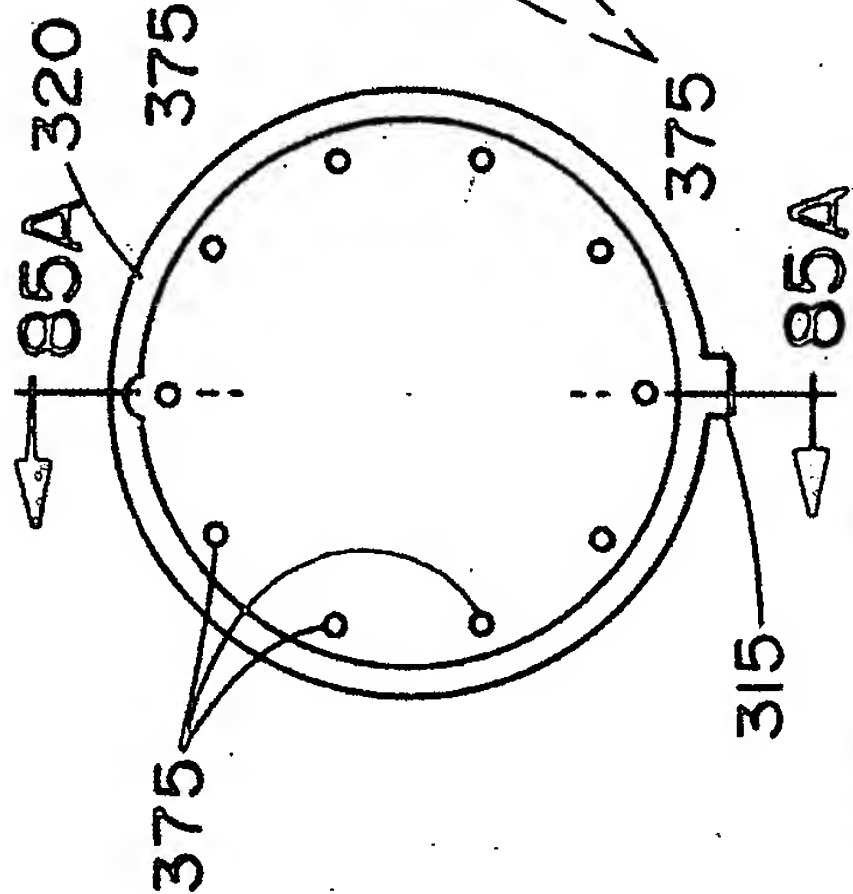


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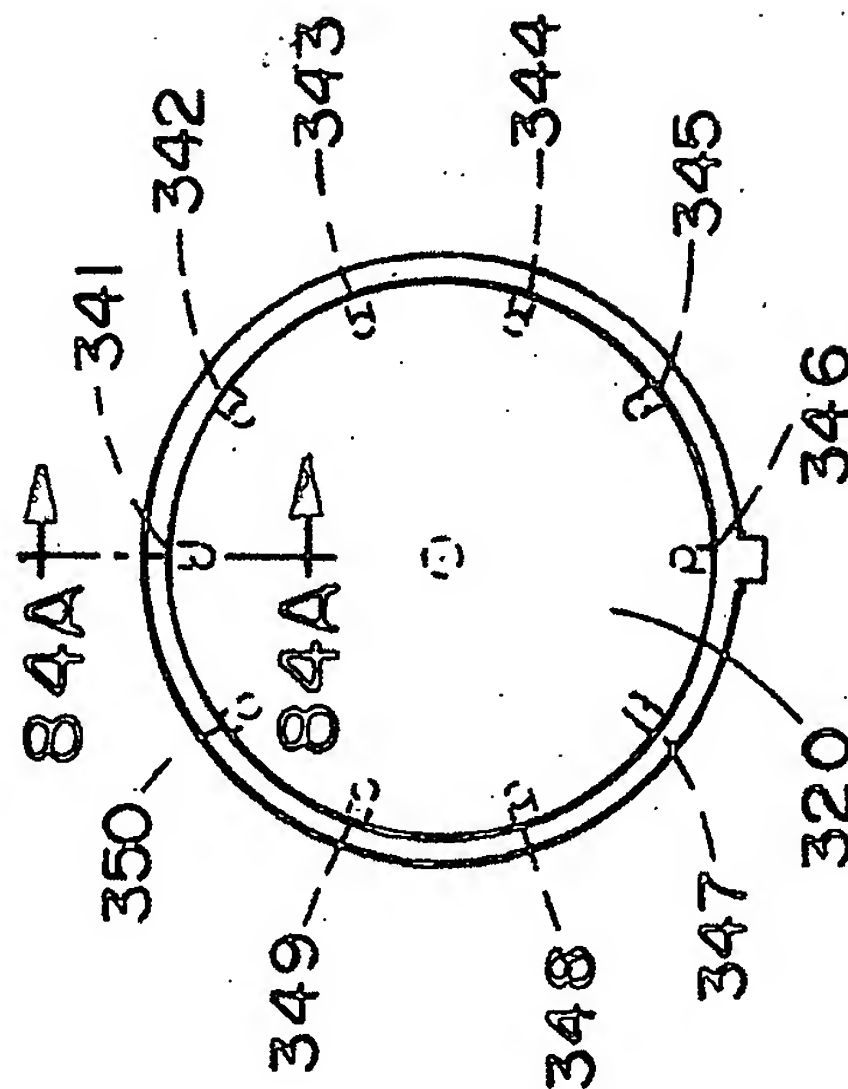


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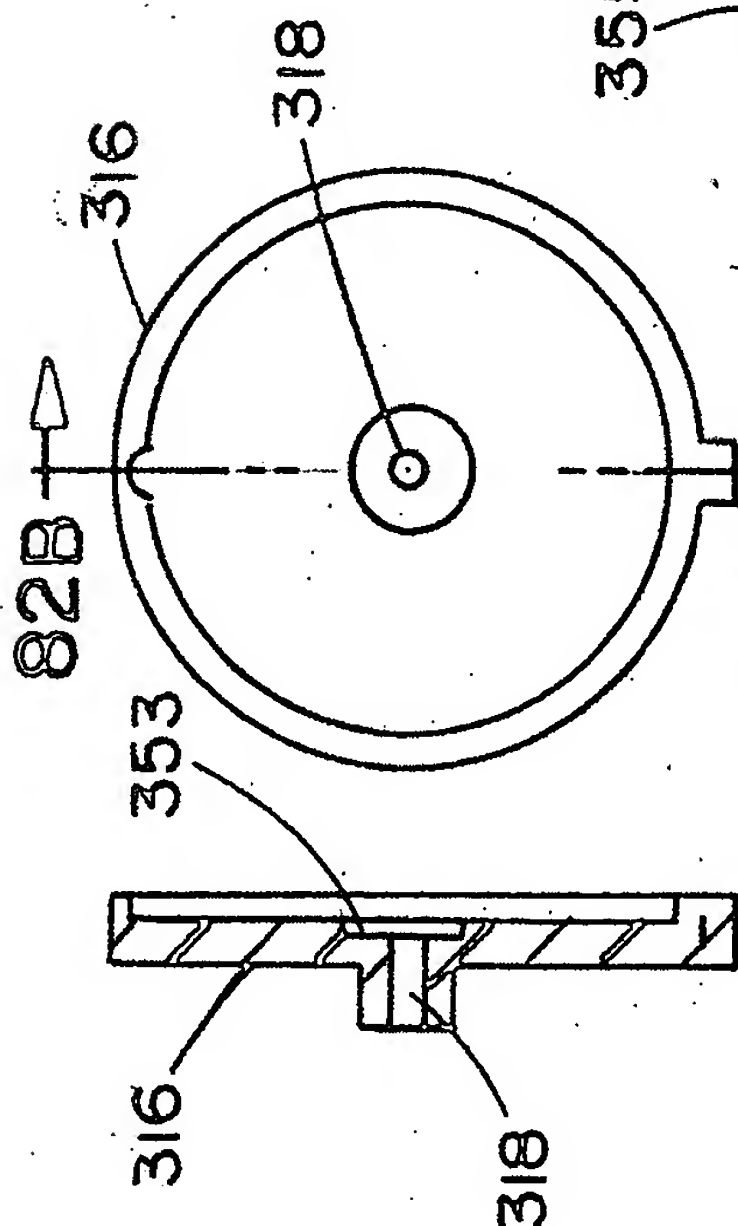


FIG. 82B

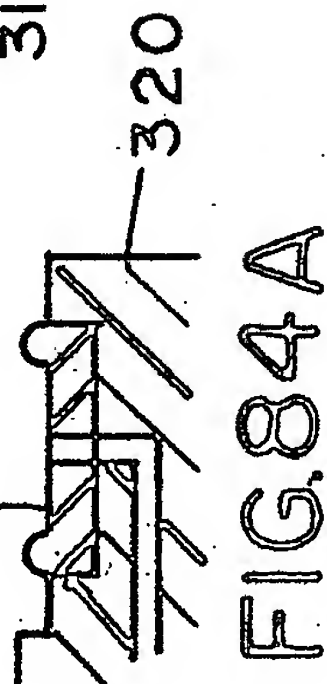


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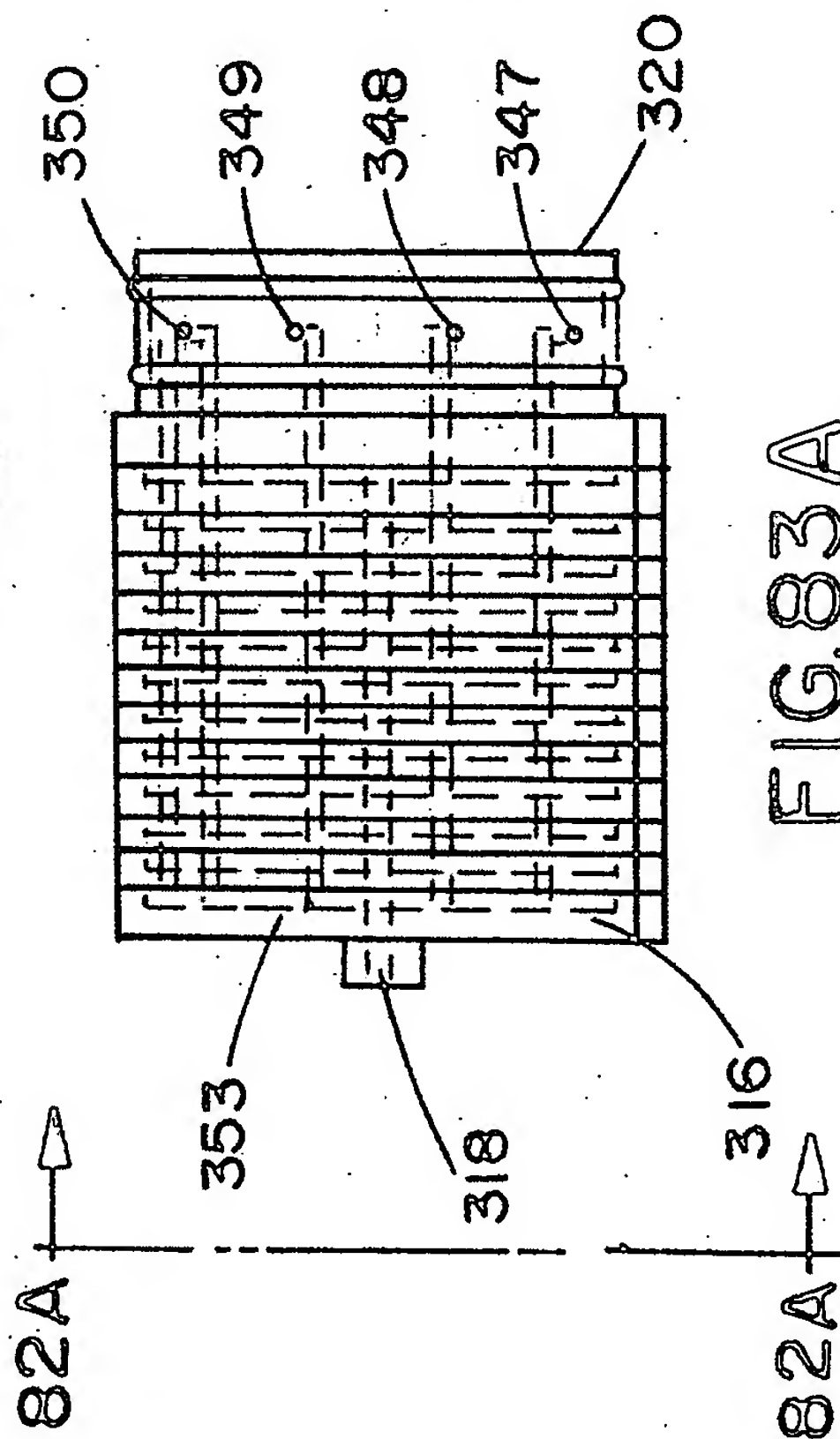


FIG. 83A

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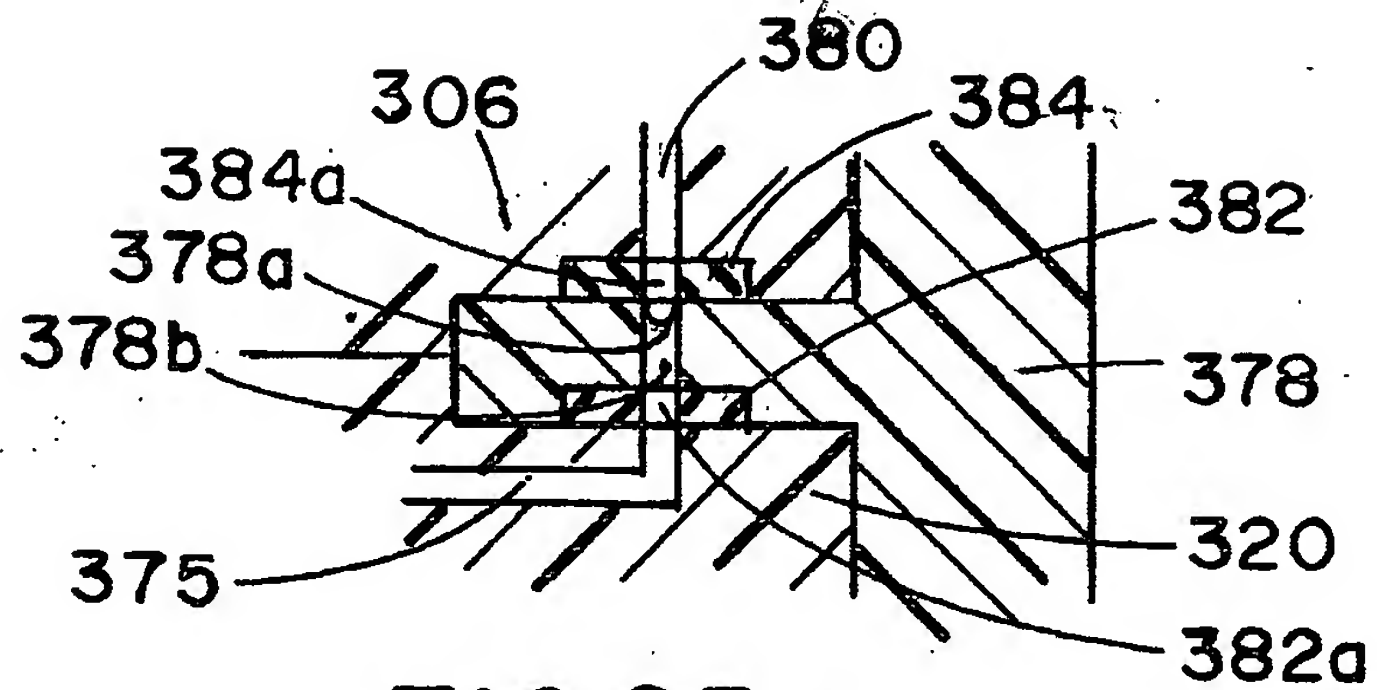


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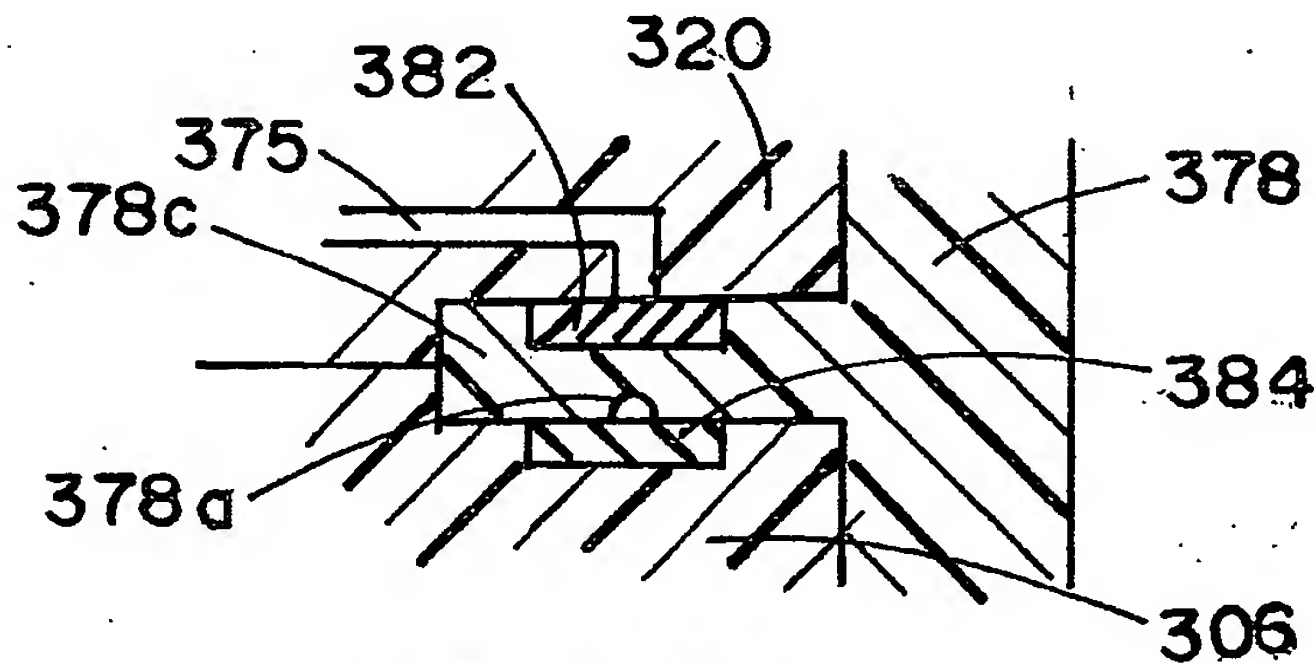
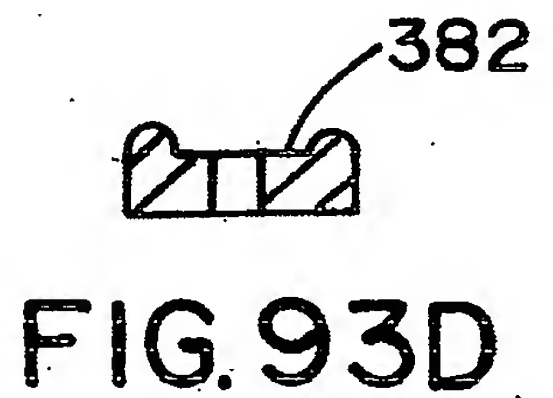
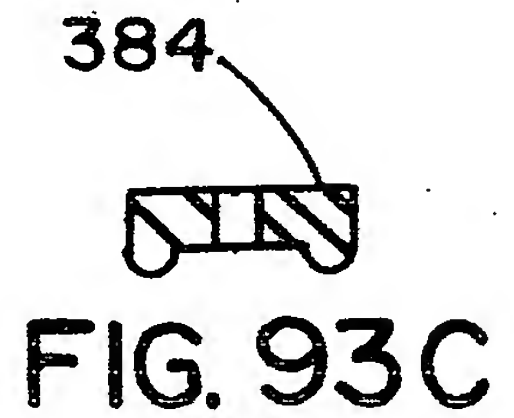
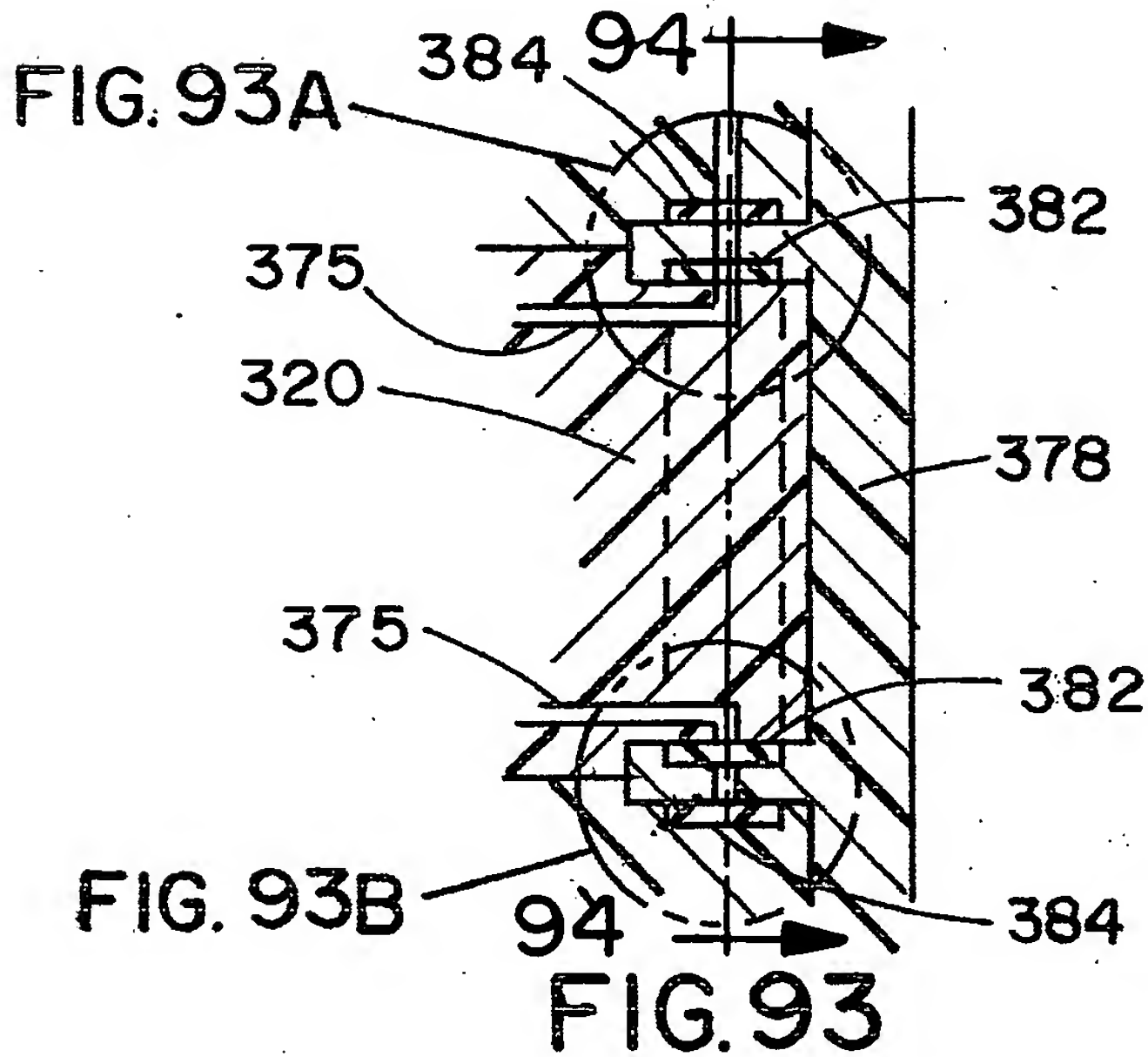


FIG. 93B